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## AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

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AUSLAND, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND.—GORDON & GORDON, Melbourne and Sydney.

SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally.—WHITE & BAUER, San Francisco.

CHINA.—Sole Agents, Messrs. A. & C. M. GORDON & CO., 11, Queen's Road, Hongkong.

## Arrivals.

July 17, Bunker Hill, Aimer ship, 898, Davis, Boston, April 1, tea—TUNOR COMPANY.

July 18, Unconquered, Salvadorian ship, 888, Roscio, Calao, May 1, Guano—JANSEN, MATTHEWSON & Co.

July 18, Dom Pedro II, British barque, 244, Young, Yokohama, June 20, Ballast—F. K. BARAJEE & Co.

July 18, Achilles, British steamer, 1550, Biddell, Fochow, July 16, Tea—BRIDLEY & Co.

July 19, Noronham, Siamese ship, 711, Hansen, Bangkok, July 4, General—CHONG.

July 19, Nornia, North G. barque, 382, Pahl, Whampoa, July 17, General—SIEMSEN & Co.

July 19, Subotada, American steamer, 1802, Clark, Shanghai, July 16, General—AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

## Departures.

July 19, China, for Yokohama and San Francisco.

19, Kwang Tung, for Fochow and Shanghai.

19, Fidelitas, for Amoor River.

## Passengers.

ARRIVED.—Per *Savonada*, Mr. M. E. Bennett, one Mandarin and 44 Chinese. Per *Unconquered*, Mr. Arnold. Per *Achilles*, Mr. Rawlinson.

## Shipping Reports.

The S. S. *Savonada*, reports—Friday, July 16, at 4.15 a.m., got under way from Shanghai, in company with P. & O. str. *Unconquered*, and *Dom Pedro II*. At 5.15 a.m. passed the Light Ship; at 6 a.m. P. M. S. S. Company's New York bound at 4.30 p.m. passed Fong Tung, moderate breeze from the Southward with smooth sea. Saturday, July 17 at 6 a.m., passed Ki-ki-shan; at 8.30 p.m. off Turnabout, light breeze from the Southward with smooth sea. Sunday, July 18 at 8.30 a.m., passed Chapel Island; at 10 a.m. passed P. & O. steamer *Ganges* steering in towards Swatow; at 8 p.m. off Breaker Point, smooth sea and light breeze from S.E. Monday, 19, moderate breeze from the Northward with heavy swell from N.E.; at daylight off Single Island; at 8 a.m. off the Ninepins.

The Salvadorian ship *Unconquered*, Captain J. Roscio, from Calao, reports fine weather. Crossed the Equator on 26th May, in long. 184.54 W.; thence had fine weather and light winds till arrival in Hongkong on 18th July, 70 days out. On 6th June, in lat. 10.11 N., long. 130.51 E., spoke the French ship *Burgue*, 4, from Calao bound to Amoy, 72 days out.

The American ship *Bunker Hill*, Capt. Davis, from Boston, reports fine weather and strong wind; crossed the Equator on 26th April, in long. 23 W.; passed the meridian of the Cape of Good Hope on 21st May, in lat. 38 S.; made St. Paul's Island on 26th, and left on same day. Up China Sea had light southerly winds and calms till arrival in Hongkong, on 17th July, 107 days out.

## New Advertisements.

NEITHER Capt. SHERMAN or the Undersigned will be Responsible for any Debts contracted by the Crew of the N. G. Ship "Adler."

EDUARD SOELLELIASS & Co., Agents N. G. Ship "Adler." Hongkong, July 19, 1869.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI. THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steam-ship "MALACCA" will leave for the above place at 4 P.M. TO-MORROW, the 20th inst.

W. MACAULAY, Superintendent. Hongkong, July 19, 1869. jul20

SUGAR DEPOT. No. 26, Wellington Street. THE Undersigned have this day opened the above Establishment for the sale of their REFINED SUGAR, GOLDEN SYRUP, and molasses for ship and Family use. For particulars as to the prices and quality, apply at the above depot.

W. A. WHEAT, SMITH & Co. East Point, July 16, 1869. aul6

Mrs H. S. FEEL, PRIVATE BOARDING HOUSE, Stanley Street, No. 6 (Between Messrs. Sayer & Co.) Hongkong, June 28, 1869. 28j

## New Advertisements.

TO LET. With Immediate Possession. THE Upper and Lower part of the HOUSE on PEDDER'S WHARF, lately occupied by THOS. HUNT & Co. Hongkong, July 16, 1869.

TO LET. HOUSES in Mosque Terrace (Caine Road), newly painted and in thorough repair. Water laid on. Apply to JOHN GERARD. Hongkong, July 5, 1869. 4f

TO LET. THE very conveniently situated HOUSE, No. 1, in Caine Road, commanding a splendid view of the Harbour. It contains eight Rooms, Stabling for two Ponies, and the necessary Out-houses. Gas and Water are laid on all over the house. For Particulars, apply to ARNOLD KARBURG & Co. Hongkong, July 2, 1869. 4f

DR. VARNUM D. COLLINS, H.D.S.D., a Diploma from the Philadelphia Dental College, resumes the practice of his profession at Hongkong. Office and Residence, 60, Wyndham Street; but patients visited at their homes if desired. All diseases of the teeth treated, and artificial work inserted on gold, silver, vulcanite and Allen's continuous gum. Hongkong, June 14, 1869. 4f

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents at this Port for Grant's Trans-Mongolian Telegraphic Line, Via KIAMO.

Be it stated that Telegrams are always despatched once (and often twice) a week from Shanghai. Messages have been delivered in London within 18 days from date they left Shanghai, and therefore time could be saved by people patronizing the above line. FESSELD & Co. Hongkong, July 7, 1869. ang7

PEARCE AND VINEY, (Late of Grey's Telegraph Company.) 39 WILLIAM STREET, MELBOURNE, TELEGRAPHIC, REPORTING, AND GENERAL AGENTS.

AGENTS FOR ALL THE COLONIES, 39-41 Galle, London, New York, &c.

FRENCH VEGETABLES. JUST arrived per French ship St. Germaine.

PETITS POIS. ARTICHAUTS. CAULIFLOWERS. BRUSSELS SPROUTS. ASPARAGUS. CELESTY IN JUS. CARROTS. BRETT POT. FRENCH BEANS. CHAMPIGNON. JULIENNE SOUP. FLAGOLETS.

Apply to G. DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, July 12, 1869. aul2

JOAO DA ROZA, BARBER AND HAIR-CUTTER, Wellington Street, No. 37.

Does all kind of Barber Business for very moderate prices, and also has a Machine Head-cleaser. Hongkong, June 21, 1869. jul21

CHARCOAL BISCUITS. 5000s 10c. PER 100. Baked fresh every week.

THESE BISCUITS are made from the celebrated Dr. BELLON's best refined Charcoal and are highly recommended by the Faculty for Persons suffering from Indigestion.

Apply at the Office of the WANCHI STEAM BAKERY. Hongkong, July 15, 1869. ang15

FOR SALE. Ex St. Germaine and Carmarthenhire. CHAMPAGNE, Max. Rutine Cabinet. Benj. and Eug. Carrier. Cabinet Eug. Carrier. (Five Champagne). Apply to LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, July 15, 1869. 4f

PAWETT & Co. are now landing, ex Dimmail, and other late arrivals:—Hogheads BASS'S ALE. Barrels do. Kilderkins do. BASS'S ALE, in pints and quarts. Guinness's STOUT, in ditto. PALE SHERRY, Old PORT. CHAMPAGNE, in pints and quarts. Sparkling and Still HOCK. Superior HAMS and Cheddar CHEESE. American BUTTER.

Also, Galvanized Iron WIRE ROPE, from 1 in. to 4 in. Galvanized Iron JIB HANKS, from 2 in. to 34 in. PAINTS and OILS; CANVAS and TWINE. Preserved MEATS, SOUPS, and FISH. OILMAN'S STORES. Fairbank's SCALES, 2,000 and 2,500 lbs. English Converted Broadleader RIFLES with Ammunition complete.

And, Ex "Carmarthenhire." HENNESSY'S BRANDY, in cases. Hongkong, June 12, 1869. 4f

## New Advertisements.

FOR SALE. RUSSIAN CIGARETTES. ZACHARIE & Co. Hongkong, July 12, 1869. ang12

JUST LANDED AND FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED. 150 Cases each 4 doz. 1lb. tins California SALMON.

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer and General Commission Agent. COMMERCIAL BANK BUILDINGS, Queen's Road. Hongkong, July 16, 1869.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG. IN BANKRUPTCY.

NOTICE.—RUSTOMJEE DADABHOY, of Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, Merchant, having been adjudged Bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the Supreme Court on the Thirtieth day of May, 1869, a Public Sitting for the said Bankrupt to pass his last examination, and make application for his discharge, will be held before the Honorable John Smale, Esquire, Chief Justice of the said Court, at the Supreme Court House, Victoria, Hongkong, on Friday, the Twentieth day of August, 1869, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At this Meeting, proof of the Debts of the Creditors will be received.

Frederick Bowley Haffam, Esquire, is the Official Assignee, and Mr Francis Innes Hazeland is the Solicitor acting in the Bankruptcy.

Hongkong, July 6, 1869. ang20

NEITHER Capt. JEFFREY, or the Undersigned will be Responsible for any Debts contracted by the Crew of the North Star from Cardiff without a written order.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, July 10, 1869. jul24

## NOTICE.

### "STAG HOTEL."

THIS Establishment having been entirely refurnished and much improved will be REOPENED for Business this day.

J. BAILEY WATSON, in again taking charge of the above, begs to return his thanks to his numerous friends and the public generally for the liberal support he has received for the last ten years, and trusts that, by strict attention to cleanliness and the general comfort of his patrons, to merit a continuance of their support.

Tiffin, ..... at 1 o'clock P.M. Dinner, ..... at 7 " " N.B.—Two of HARRIS's first class Iron BILLIARD TABLES.

J. B. WATSON. Hongkong, June 12, 1869. 4f

## NOTICE.

### "STAG HOTEL."

Ice Cream Drinks—Ice Cream Drinks. THE Undersigned has just landed, and has now in complete working order, one of Dow and Van Winkle's ICE CREAM SODA WATER APPARATUS.

He can now supply the Public at a moment's notice with the following Nectars: Strawberry, Raspberry, Pine Apple, Orange, Lemon, Ginger, Vanilla and Sarsaparilla. Price at the Bar, 15 cents per Glass.

J. B. WATSON. Hongkong, June 22, 1869.

NOTICE. ACCIDENTAL HOTEL, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA.

THE Occidental Hotel having been recently improved and refurnished, is now in complete order in all its appointments.

Travellers will find the Accommodations of this well known Hotel equal to those of the best Hotels of the Eastern States and Europe.

Hongkong, April 13, 1869. oc13

HOTEL DE FRANCE A CANTON. Services comfortable, prix modérés. 20 Mai, 1869.

NAGASAKI PATENT SLIP. THIS SLIP is now available for docking Ships of 1, 200 Tons or under, and all the SHIPWRIGHTS, JOINERS, BOAT-BUILDERS, SPAR-MAKERS, and general departments in under experienced European Superintendence. The SLIP has been most substantially constructed, in a perfectly land-locked and secure position, and has been pronounced by competent authority as equal to any existing works of the same kind.

Charge, for three days use of the Slip, One Dollar per ton, and all labour, material, &c., supplied on moderate terms. For further information, apply to GLOVER & Co., Nagasaki, Japan, Managers. my21-70

## New Advertisements.

CONSULAR NOTIFICATION. THE Undersigned, in pursuance of the instructions of His Excellency Her Britannic Majesty's Minister at Peking, on Monday, the 14th June, 1869, took over charge of British interests at the Ports of Tientsin and Taku, and entered on his duties as Acting Consul.

W. M. COOPER, British Consulate, Tientsin, June 16, 1869.

CONSULAR NOTIFICATION. THE Undersigned having obtained the sanction of the Chinese Government at Peking to his nomination as CONSUL FOR THE NORTH GERMAN CONFEDERATION AT CANTON, hereby gives notice that he has assumed the duties of this office, and that all separate German Consulates at Canton will henceforth be discontinued.

CARLOWITZ. Canton, 7th July, 1869.

PER "MAIL." MISS GARRETT has received, BONNETS and HATS of the latest fashion; LACE, FICHUS, MANTLES, &c.

Has a large assortment of Dawson's Ladies, Gentlemen's, and Children's BOOTS, &c.

Gentlemen's and Boys' Straw HATS. Also, Glenfield STAROH and STONE BLUE. Hongkong, July 1, 1869.

PER OVERLAND MAIL. MISS ROSE has received a choice assortment of Black and Colored SILKS, BAREGE, Fancy and Muslin DRESSES.

RIBBONS, Velvets and Dress TRIMMINGS in great variety. A large assortment of Ladies' and Children's BOOTS and SHOES.

WELLINGTON STREET. Opposite the Catholic Chapel. Hongkong, June 4, 1869.

HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAM-BOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE DIVIDEND at the rate of 12 per cent. or \$4.50 per Share, declared at the Ordinary Half-yearly Meeting of the Shareholders held on the 12th inst., will be payable at the HONGKONG and SHANGHAI STEAMING CORPORATION on and after THURSDAY, the 16th inst. Shareholders are requested to apply at the Office of the Undersigned for Warrants.

By order of the Board of Directors, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, July 13, 1869. ang3

HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAM-BOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. IN accordance with the requirements of the 51st Section of "the Companies Ordinance 1865," an Extraordinary MEETING of the Shareholders will be held at the Company's Office, Victoria, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 27th day of July inst., at three o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of considering any Resolutions that may be passed at the Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders on the 12th inst.

By order of the Board of Directors, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, July 3, 1869. jul27

WILSON AND SALWAY, ARCHITECTS, SURVEYORS, AND CIVIL ENGINEERS. Offices: Messrs. LYALL, STILL & Co.'s late Premises, July 5, 1869.

ILLUMINATIONS. TRANSPARENCIES, TRIUMPHAL ARCHES. And other DECORATIONS, For the approaching visit of HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH.

THE Undersigned is now prepared to execute orders for the above. All information in reference thereto, can be obtained from Messrs. WILSON & SALWAY. JOHN B. HOLLAND, Scenic Artist &c. Hongkong, July 5, 1869. 4f

NOTICE. HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED ON Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

Fixed Deposits.—For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum. " 6 " 4 per cent. " " 12 " 5 per cent. " " LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, January 1, 1869. 4f

## New Advertisements.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON. NOTICE. SHARE No. 164 has been placed in the hands of the Directors. For Sale. Sealed Tenders for purchase of same will be received until the 22nd inst.

By order of the Board, ROBERT WATMORE, Secretary. Hongkong, July 6, 1869. jul22

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. HE SECOND CALL of \$100 per Share will become due at the Office of the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION on the 30th inst., where Receipts for the payment thereof will be granted.

Interest at the rate of 12 per annum will be charged after the above date.

N.B.—The Scrip Receipts for the FIRST CALL, as well as those above referred to, will be exchanged for Share Certificates of the Company as soon as the necessary forms are received from England, due notice of which will be given to the Shareholders.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, June 14, 1869.

THE LONDON & CHINA EXPRESS. 18 published in London for the P. & O. Co.'s and French Mails, and contains: Summary of Home, Parliamentary, and Foreign News.

Special Correspondents' Letters from Germany, Holland, &c. Leading Articles on the principal interests of China.

Digest of Home Opinions on China Subjects. List of Passengers by the current and succeeding Mails.

Naval and Military News. Births, Marriages, and Deaths. Commercial, Banking, Share Lists, &c. Market Reports, Shipping News, Freight, Exchanges, &c., from London and the Continent, New York, &c. Statistics of Imports and Exports.

Supplement. Statement of each Ship's Cargo for China and Japan, and by the P. and O. Mails.

SUBSCRIPTION.—\$12 per Annum. With Export Supplement, \$14.50. Single Copies, 50 cents.

MORRIS & Co., Agents, Queen's Road. Hongkong, March 12, 1869.

## Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. NOTICE is hereby given that the Unpaid Capital of One Hundred Dollars per Share on the 20,000 New Shares of the Corporation's Stock will fall due on the dates following, viz:—

On 1st July, 1869, \$25  
1st July, 1870, 25  
1st Jan., 1872, 25  
1st Jan., 1873, 25

Shareholders electing to pay the whole or any portion of the above Calls by anticipation will receive interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly, until the respective dates at which the Calls shall fall due, and receipts for such payments will be issued at the Head Office and Branches.

By Order of the Court of Directors, VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager. Hongkong, March 2, 1869.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS.

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman—Geo. F. HEARD, Esq. Deputy Chairman—JULIUS MENKE, Esq. GEORGE J. HILLARD, Hon. J. B. TAYLOR, Esq. A. JOSEPH, Esq. WILLIAM LEMANN, J. P. DUNCANSON, Esq. W. H. FORBES, Esq. RICHARD ROWETT, S. D. SASSOON, Esq. Esq.

And, E. R. BELLIOS, Esq. Managers. Hongkong, Victor Kresser, Esq. Chief Manager. Shanghai, DAVID MACLEAN, Esq. Chief Manager. LONDON BANKERS.—London and County Bank.

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VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, January 1, 1869. 4f

## Shipping.

STEAM TO SWATOW, AMOY & FOCHOW. HE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steam-ship "AZOF" will leave for the above places at 1 P.M. on TUESDAY, the 20th inst.

W. MACAULAY, Superintendent. Hongkong, July 16, 1869.

COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MARITIMES DES MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES.

The Company's steamer "PHARE," Captain HENRI, will be despatched for Shanghai, shortly after the arrival of the next French Mail.

C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent. Hongkong, July 15, 1869.

COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MARITIMES DES MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES.

The Company's steamer "DUPELIX," Capt. RAFAEL, will be despatched for Yokohama (direct) shortly after the arrival of the next French Mail.

C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent. Hongkong, July 15, 1869.

FOR MANILA. The steamer "FUNG NHUEY," due on the 19th inst., will be despatched about the 22nd current.

For Freight or Passage, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, July 16, 1869. jul22

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA. The British steamer "AKRATON APOKA," Captain GARDNER, will be despatched for the above Ports, on TUESDAY next, the 20th inst., at Noon.

Despatches will close at 11 A.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBBS, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, July 13, 1869. jy20

FOR NAGASAKI AND HIOGO. The American steamer "NAUTILUS," Capt. ROBERT, will have quick despatch for the above ports.

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, July 9, 1869.

FOR LONDON. The O. S. S. Co.'s Steamer "ACHILLE," Captain RUSSELL, will be despatched from Fochow for the above port soon after the opening of the Tea Market, calling at Hongkong, if sufficient inducement offers.

Rate of Freight as follows:—If the passage is made to Gravesend in 70 days or under, £5. 0/ per ton 40 ft. 75 " " £5. 10/ " 80 " " £5. 10/ " over 80 " " £5. 10/ " BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, May 5, 1869.

O. S. S. Co.'s Steamers.

INSURANCE. If required by shippers, at the time of making freight engagements, certificate of Insurance, against Tea or Silk, on first class English Companies, may be obtained from the undersigned, at the following rates: 4/6. 6d. per cent. Shanghai and Fochow to London.

5/6. 6d. per cent. Bankow to London. Net cash, including average and cost of stamp.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Shanghai, 27th April, 1869. 4f

FOR SAIGON. The first class French barque "MYSTRE," Rose, Master, will have quick despatch for the above port.

For Freight and Passage, apply to FREDERIC DEGENAER. Hongkong, July 17, 1869.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER. The A. 1.



## Shipping.

**FOR MANILA.**  
The 41 Spanish brig  
"SAN LORENZO,"  
LEDESMA, Master, will have im-  
mediate despatch for the above  
port. And, for the above, the Span-  
barque CANDELARIA.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
REMEDIOS & Co.  
Hongkong, July 10, 1869.

**FOR LONDON.**  
The 41 British ship  
"SCAWFELL,"  
THOMSON, Master, will load at  
Whampoa for the above port at  
current rates, and having part of her cargo  
engaged, will meet with quick despatch.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
BIRLEY & Co.  
Hongkong, July 10, 1869.

**FOR NEW YORK.**  
The American ship  
"NIGHTINGALE,"  
SPARROW, Master, will load  
here and at Whampoa, for  
the above port.  
For Freight, apply to  
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.  
Hongkong, July 8, 1869.

**FOR SAN FRANCISCO.**  
The ship  
"SARAH MARSH,"  
Capt. MORRIS, will have de-  
spatch for the above port.  
For Freight, apply to  
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.  
Hongkong, June 22, 1869.

**FOR NEW YORK.**  
The 41 American-built barque  
"ENRIQUE,"  
Captain OUBERT, having the  
greater portion of her cargo  
engaged, will load at this and Whampoa,  
and has room for a limited amount of  
freight, for which apply to  
OLYPHANT & Co.  
Hongkong, July 6, 1869.

**FOR SYDNEY.**  
The Dutch barque  
"CONSTANCE,"  
Capt. SOUZA, will have quick  
despatch for the above port.  
For Freight, apply to  
RUSSELL & Co.  
Hongkong, June 8, 1869.

**FOR SAN FRANCISCO.**  
To follow the "Mary."  
The 41 American Clipper-ship  
"ALCANTARA,"  
1312 Tons Register, Captain  
Brown, will have early de-  
spatch for the above port.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
RUSSELL & Co.  
Hongkong, June 12, 1869.

**FOR SINGAPORE.**  
The First-class French brig  
"EMMA,"  
Capt. ELLS, will have quick de-  
spatch for the above port.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
FREDERIC DEGENAER.  
Hongkong, May 26, 1869.

**FOR SAN FRANCISCO.**  
The British ship  
"MAY,"  
Captain TOWNSEND, will have  
quick despatch for the above  
port.  
For Freight, apply to  
RUSSELL & Co.  
Hongkong, May 27, 1869.

## Notices to Consignees.

"BOELLA," FROM LONDON.  
CONSIGNMENT of Cargo by the above-  
named vessel are requested to send in  
their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for  
counter-signature, and to take immediate de-  
livery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the  
discharge of the vessel will be landed and  
stored at Consignees' risk and expense, by  
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.  
Hongkong, July 14, 1869.

## NOTICE.

THE following cases have been landed  
and stored at the risk and expense of  
the Consignees, who are requested to take  
immediate delivery.  
Ex "Cambridge," 2d February, 1869.  
GFC 15885 1 case Chemicals.  
C. BERTHOLD,  
Principal Agent.  
Hongkong, July 6, 1869.

## Notices of Firms.

**NOTICE.**  
THE Business of KINNEAR & Co., Foo-  
chow, will be carried on from and  
after this date under the style and firm of  
KINNEAR, LARKEN & Co.  
The partnership between Mr. WILLIAM  
BALFOUR KINNEAR and Mr. THOMAS LAR-  
KEN is at an end.  
WILLIAM BALFOUR KINNEAR.  
Foochow, May 1, 1869.

**NOTICE.**  
THE Undersigned has established himself  
as a GENERAL AUCTIONEER AND COM-  
MISSION AGENT on the Ground-Floor of the  
Hongkong Hotel, under the style of GUZDAS  
& Co.  
J. M. GUEDES, Jr.  
Hongkong, June 5, 1869.

**NOTICE.**  
M. H. FREE RAPP, has been duly author-  
ized to sign our Firm per Procuration  
from this date.  
F. BLACKHEAD & Co.  
Hongkong, June 10, 1869.

**NOTICE.**  
I HAVE this day established myself as a  
PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE AD-  
JUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT.  
C. LANGDON DAVIES.  
Hongkong, July 1, 1869.

## Notices of Firms.

**NOTICE.**  
MR. LEONHARD STAHL has been admitted  
a Partner in our Firm from this date.  
HESSE & Co.  
Hongkong, July 1, 1869.

**NOTICE.**  
FROM this date Mr. GEORGE E. LANE,  
will not act as Agent of the Pacific Mail  
Steamship Company at this port.  
GEO. F. BOWMAN.  
Hongkong, March 18, 1869.

**NOTICE.**  
I HAVE established myself at Kobe, and  
Osaka, as COMMISSION MERCHANT and  
GENERAL AGENT.  
HENRY LUCAS.  
Hongkong, April 16, 1869.

**NOTICE.**  
WE have authorized Mr. CLAUDE BUDDE  
to sign our Firm from this date.  
DREYER & Co.  
Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

## HONGKONG HOTEL.

FROM this date the Management of the  
Hongkong Hotel is placed in charge  
of Mr. GEORGE E. PORTS, to whom all com-  
munications should be addressed.  
YEE-WE & Co.  
Hongkong Hotel,  
April 1, 1869.

## For Sale.

## FOR SALE.

Ex "Dumail" and "Carmarthenhire,"  
GUINNESS' EXTRA STOUT, bottled by  
E. & S. BURKE of Dublin, in quarts and  
pints.  
BASS & CO. ALE, (SPECIAL BREW), in  
bottles and casks.  
BASS & CO. ALE, in quarts and pints,  
bottled by CAMERON & SAMPSON.  
10 tons of HUBBARD'S PAINTS of every  
description.  
HUBBARD'S Pale Boiled and Raw OIL.  
HUBBARD'S TURPENTINE & DRIERS.  
CROSSLAND'S OILMAN'S STORES, well assorted; BROWN & POW-  
SON'S CORN-STARCH, LOAF SUGAR in  
50 lbs.  
YORK HAMS & CHEESE and Break-  
fast BACON, at  
LAMBERT, ATKINSON & Co.  
Hongkong, July 10, 1869.

## FOR SALE.

JAS. HENNESSY & Co.'s Old THREE-  
STAR BRANDY, at  
LAMBERT, ATKINSON & Co.  
Hongkong, July 10, 1869.

## FOR SALE.

Ex "ANGLO" and "ST. GERMAIN,"  
SUPERIOR ROUSSILLON WINE, in cask.  
Light Bordeaux WINE, in ditto.  
H. & C. BALSARQUE'S CHATEAU LA-  
FITE.  
H. & C. BALSARQUE'S HAUT BRION.  
VRAI CANON.  
CHATEAU DE  
FRANCS.  
Haute Saunterne, Barsac, d'Yquem, Cha-  
bis, Beanne, Hermitage Blanc, Cote Ro-  
tie, and other Burgundy WINES.  
Every description of French Vegetables,  
Fruits, Preserves, Pates, Truffles, Syrops,  
Liqueurs, &c., &c., at  
LAMBERT, ATKINSON & Co.  
Hongkong, July 10, 1869.

## FOR SALE.

0 close Consignments.  
SOUND BREAKFAST and DIN-  
NER CLARETS.  
St. Julien . . . at \$3.00 per dozen.  
Haute Do. . . at \$4.00 . . .  
Ponsot & Co. . . at \$4.00 . . .  
Chateau Lafite . . at \$5.00 . . .  
LAMBERT, ATKINSON & Co.  
Hongkong, July 10, 1869.

## FOR SALE.

THE following Properties belonging to  
the Estate of DEER & Co.  
At Hankow—The Property at present  
occupied by Messrs EVANS & KATZOW,  
consisting of a Dwelling House, with Ser-  
vants' Offices and Stables and three Go-  
downs each 150 feet by 60.  
The situation of this Property outside  
the British concession, its river frontage of  
320 feet and extensive Godown accommoda-  
tion makes it one of the most valuable at  
Hankow especially for steam-boat purposes.  
At Kiangnan—Four Lots on the British  
Concession with a frontage of 222 feet on  
the river bank. The buildings consist of  
a Dwelling House, with Servants' Offices,  
and two Godowns 100 feet by 60 and 105  
feet by 60 on the front Lots, and of a Go-  
down 155 feet by 60 feet on the back Lot.  
For further particulars, apply at the Of-  
fice of the Trustees.  
No. 7, Pender's Hill;  
H. P. HANSEN,  
Shanghai.  
Hongkong, April 10, 1869.

## FOR SALE.

THURSTON'S BILLIARD TABLE,  
in good order, having been in use  
only a short time.  
Apply to  
MORRIS & Co.,  
Queen's Road.  
Hongkong, July 5, 1869.

## FOR SALE.

Ex "Chuan,"  
CHAMPAGNE.  
Roederer, . . . Carte Noire.  
" . . . . . Blanche.  
" . . . . . Gledstein.  
SANDER & Co.  
Hongkong, July 5, 1869.

## FOR SALE.

GENUINE HAVANA CIGARS, in  
boxes of 50 each.  
Superior CHEROOTS, in boxes of  
200.  
Cavite CIGARS and CHEROOTS.  
Manila CIGARS, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4  
and 5, per "French Mail."  
Meerschbaum PIPES and CIGAR-  
HOLDERS.  
RIEFLER & ZACHARIE.  
Hongkong, June 25, 1869.

## For Sale.

EX FALCON AND ZIBA.  
NEW GOODS FOR THE SEASON.  
ONGLOTH SHIRTS with Linen  
Fronts, Gauze, Merino and Silk  
UNDER-SHIRTS, Linen and Paper COU-  
LARS, White, Brown and Stripe Thread  
and Cotton SOCKS, NECKTIES and  
SCARFS, Cambric HANDKERCHIEFS,  
Sewer DUCK and DRILL, ALPACA,  
French MERINO and FINE MATLAS.  
Ladies' and Children's Trimmed and  
Untrimmed HATS, White and Fancy Mus-  
lin and other DRESSES, Printed French  
CAMBRICS, Silk, Lisle Thread and Cot-  
ton HOSIERY, Silk GLOVES, Trimmed  
BODICES, Cambric EDGINGS, RIB-  
BONS, LACES, VELVETS, HABER-  
DASHERY, &c.  
WINDOW CURTAINS, Mosquito NETS,  
Shirts and Toilet TOWELS, Antimacassars  
and Toilet COVERS, Damask Table  
LINEN, Gauze and other FLANNELS,  
Longcloth and Irish LINDENS, STATO-  
NEEY of all kinds, PERFUMERY,  
BRUSHES, SOAPS, SPONGES, Chil-  
dren's PERAMBULATORS, &c., &c.  
S. W. BAKER & Co.  
Hongkong, April 10, 1869.

## New Advertisements.

IN BANKRUPTCY.  
MEETING of the Creditors of the  
ESTATE of HAGEN & SILVA & Co.,  
bankrupts, will be held at the British Con-  
sulate, Takow, on Saturday the 31st inst.,  
at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the pur-  
pose of declaring the final dividend and  
settling up all matters pertaining to the  
said Estate.  
WM. M. COOPER,  
Acting Consul for the North  
German Confederation.  
Fomosa, July 13, 1869.

THE Undersigned have just landed ex  
"Cambridge," and are now  
offering FOR SALE, at low rates, a well  
assorted Invoice of STATIONERY from  
Messrs WATERLOW & SONS, London, com-  
prising:  
Cream Laid Letter and Note PAPERS,  
assorted sizes.  
Blue Laid Letter and Note PAPERS,  
assorted sizes.  
Cream Laid Letter and Note PAPER,  
ruled with faint lines; Mourning PAPER  
and ENVELOPES; Blue and White  
FOOLSCAPS, Pink and White BLEND-  
ING PAPER, Brown Packing PAPER, Quire  
and Steel PENS, Paper FASTENERS,  
Account and Memorandum BOOKS, Ar-  
riving DESKS, Office KNIVES, INK-  
STANDS, &c., &c., &c.  
MORRIS & Co.,  
Queen's Road.  
Hongkong, July 19, 1869.

SAYLE & Co.,  
VICTORIA EXCHANGE,  
HONG KONG.

HAVE RECEIVED EX MAIL STEAMER.  
A Large assortment of MILLINERY,  
BONNETS, and HATS, of the  
latest fashions.  
A Choice assortment of SILK, MUS-  
LIN, and GREYDINE, for Evening  
Wear.  
A fine assortment of new FRENCH FLOW-  
ERS, HEAD-DRESSES and FEATHERS.  
A large assortment of new TRIM-  
MINGS and FRINGES in all colors.  
Ladies' and Gentlemen's Kid GLOVES,  
in white and colors, all sizes.  
Gentlemen's Drab Shell and Belt HATS.  
Blue and Green GOSSAMERS, &c.  
BRANCH ESTABLISHMENT.  
20, Fochow Road, Shanghai.  
Hongkong, February 3, 1869.

NOW READY.  
(AT THE "CHINA MAIL" OFFICE.)  
PRICE \$1.00.  
THE  
ANGLO-CHINESE CALENDAR  
MANUAL.

Handbook of reference for the deter-  
mination of Chinese Dates, during the  
period from 1860 to 1869; with comparative  
Tables of Annual and Mensural Designations,  
&c., &c. Compiled by WILLIAM FREDER-  
ICK MAYERS, H.M.C.S.  
Author's Preface.  
Most persons whose avocations or studies  
are connected even remotely with Chinese  
subjects are wont to confess the need of a  
convenient manual of reference for the pur-  
pose of determining dates according to  
either the European or the Chinese method  
of computation; and a system of compar-  
ison for the names attributed to years,  
months and other periods is also frequent-  
ly a desideratum with translators and  
readers of Chinese literature. The com-  
piler of the following tables has thought,  
accordingly, that their publication in a  
convenient form may prove useful, although  
much yet remains to be done for the elabo-  
ration of comparative calendars, etc. that  
should leave nothing to be desired. With  
the exception of the Cyclical Table of  
Years, and the Table of Solar Terms, both  
of which were originally compiled by Dr.  
Morrison, and afterwards republished with  
improvements in Williams' Commercial  
Guide, from which (with some alterations)  
they are now copied, the whole of the mat-  
ter assembled in the following pages is for  
the first time made accessible to general  
reference.  
Published by C. A. SAINT, China Mail  
Office, Hongkong.

## New Advertisements.

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER  
OF COMMERCE.  
THE Fortnightly Market Circulars pub-  
lished by the CHAMBER, will in future  
be deliverable from the Office of the Under-  
signed from 10 A.M. of the morning preced-  
ing the steamer's departure. The Circulars  
are at the disposal of non-Members, on ap-  
plication to the Secretary, who will furnish  
particulars of cost, &c.  
J. W. WOOD,  
Secretary.  
Club Chambers,  
Hongkong, March 2, 1869.

**NOTICE.**  
DOCUMENTS translated, at reasonable  
rates, from English, French, Spanish,  
Italian, Portuguese or German into Chi-  
nese, or from Chinese into English. Ad-  
dress,  
The "China Mail" Office,  
2, Wyndham Street, Hongkong.

## LATEST SHIPPING.

## ARRIVALS.

July 19, Brant, N. G. brig, 196, Jergen-  
sen, Takow, July 16, Sugar.—Order.  
July 19, Nil Despatch, British brig,  
157, Tanner, Yokohama, June 25, Ballast.  
—Order.  
July 10, Clydesdale, British barque, 473,  
Williams, Yokohama, June 28, Ballast.—  
Order.

## CLEARED.

Prince Albert, for Whampoa.  
Sea Flower, for Rangoon.

## PASSENGERS.

DEPARTED.—Per China, for New York,  
Lieut. Comdr. A. R. Yates, U.S.N., 3rd  
Assist. Engineer Jno. H. Bleakie, U.S.N.,  
and Capt. S. B. Hodges. For San Fran-  
cisco, Rev. T. W. and Mrs. Johnson, Mrs.  
Francis Campbell, Mrs. Maria Dean, Capt.  
Phineas Winsor, Messrs F. Stone, C.  
Mitchell, W. J. Bryans, S. Wright, J.  
Witte, and 605 Chinese in steerage. For  
Yokohama, Messrs Milton, A. S. Ferguson,  
W. Clark, Bejonjo and 11 Chinese in  
steerage.

## POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.

MAILS WILL CLOSE:  
For SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CAL-  
CUTTA.—  
Per Indian Mail Packet "ARRATOON"  
APRIL, on Tuesday, the 20th  
Instant, at 11.30 A.M.  
For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL-  
CUTTA.—  
Per Indian Mail Packet "CLAN AL-  
PINE," on Tuesday, the 20th Inst.,  
at 11 A.M.  
For MANILA.—  
Per "SAN LORENZO," on Tuesday,  
next, the 20th Instant, at 3.30 P.M.  
For SWATOW, AMOY & FOCHOW.—  
Per "AZOF," at 12.30 on Tuesday, the  
20th Instant.  
For SHANGHAI.—  
Per "MALACCA," to-morrow, the 20th  
Instant, at 3 P.M.

It is hereby notified for general infor-  
mation that henceforward closed mails for the  
United Kingdom will be made up at this  
Office and forwarded to London by the Uni-  
ted States Mail Packets via San Francisco.  
Correspondence intended to be forwarded  
by this route must be addressed via "San  
Francisco."

Letters, Newspapers, Booklets and Patterns,  
will be liable to the same rates of postage  
as those sent by the British Mail Packets  
via Southampton viz.—

For Letters, 24 cents per half-ounce.  
For each Newspaper not exceeding 4  
ounces, 4 cents.  
For a packet of Books or Patterns, 8 cents  
per 4 ounces.

The Postage must in all cases be paid in  
advance; correspondence not fully prepaid  
will be sent via Suez.

F. W. MITCHELL,  
Postmaster General.  
General Post Office,  
Hongkong February 1, 1869.

It is hereby notified that, under the au-  
thority of a Treasury Warrant, dated the 1st  
May last, Superintending or First-Class  
Schoolmasters in the Army will, in future,  
be entitled to the same privileges in regard  
to Letters sent by or addressed to them as  
their own private affairs as are at present  
enjoyed by Commissioned Officers in the  
Army; and all Army Schoolmasters will be  
entitled (as Army Schoolmasters of all  
but the First-Class now are) to the same  
privileges, in regard to their Letters, as are  
enjoyed by non-commissioned Officers and  
Private Soldiers.

F. W. MITCHELL,  
Postmaster General.  
General Post Office,  
Hongkong, July 31, 1868.

## UNDER DESPATCH.

For Singapore, Penang and Calcutta.—  
Per "Avoncliff," on Tuesday, the 20th  
Instant, at noon.

For Singapore, Penang and Calcutta.—  
Per "Clan Alpine," on Tuesday, the 20th in-  
stant, at noon.

For Manila.—Per "San Lorenzo," on Tues-  
day, next, the 20th instant, at 4 p.m.

For Swatow, Amoy and Fochow.—Per  
"Azof," at 1 p.m. on Tuesday, the 20th in-  
stant.

For Shanghai.—Per "Malacca," to-morrow,  
the 20th instant, at 4 p.m.

## QUOTATIONS.

Hongkong, 19th July, 1869.  
OPIMUM.—Patna, New, . . . \$563 1/2  
Old, . . . 568 1/2  
Banares, New, . . . 560  
Old, . . . 562  
Malwa, . . . 620  
Persian, . . . 550, nom.  
COTTON.—Bombay, . . . 15 a 2 1/2  
Calcutta, . . . 15 a 1 1/2

**Exchange.**  
Bank, 6 months' sight, . . . 4/6 1/2  
Credits, 6 . . . 4/7  
On Calcutta, 3 days' sight, Rs. 230 a 231  
" Bombay, 3 days' sight, Rs. 230 a 231  
" Shanghai, 3 days' sight, Bank, Rs. 754  
Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B., . . . 6, nom.  
Suez, . . . 2/7 1/2 a 3/50  
Americas, . . . 23  
Gold Leaf, . . . 22 60 a 22 80  
Gold Bar, 98 touch, . . . 4/47  
English Sovereigns, . . . 4/47  
Australian Sovereigns, . . . 4/47  
Discount, . . . 12  
Gas Company Shares, . . . 40  
H. & W. P. Dock, Old, . . . 8 p. c. dis.  
H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, . . . 35 p. c. dis.  
Do, do, New, . . . 16  
Union Dock . . . 35 p. c. dis.

## Temperature.

Hongkong, 19th July, 1869.  
(Taken at Messrs Falconer & Co.'s Premises,  
Queen's Road.)  
THERMOMETER—9 A.M., Dry, . . . 87  
Do, Wet, . . . 79  
Do, 4 P.M., Dry, . . . 83  
Do, Wet, . . . 79  
Self-registered Maximum, . . . 87  
Do, Min. over night, . . . 83  
BAROMETER—9 A.M., . . . 29.950  
Do, 4 P.M., . . . 29.845

**PRINTING** of every description exe-  
cuted at the "China Mail" Office  
with accuracy, neatness, punctuality,  
and at reasonable charges, by  
CHARLES A. SAINT.

**NOTICE.**—It is particularly requested that  
all communications relating to the general  
business of this paper be addressed to the  
Proprietor and in no case to individuals by  
name. Much delay and inconvenience in  
the transaction of business will thereby be  
avoided.

## THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, MONDAY, JULY 19, 1869.

## THE EMIGRATION RULES.

THE new Emigration Rules just published  
in the Gazette appear to have been drawn  
up with care, and so far as they go, are  
satisfactory. The regulations as to  
Depots provide that licenses shall be  
issued for six months only, withdrawable  
by order of the Governor, and the houses  
can only be opened upon the written  
certificate of examination signed by the  
Colonial Surgeon, the Emigration Officer  
and Registrar General. The other parti-  
culars as to the depots are similar to those  
in force elsewhere. Notices sent up  
country are to be previously submitted to  
the emigration officer. A shipping list  
is to be kept and sensible regulations  
regarding Chinese Doctors are promul-  
gated. In fact there is but little to find  
fault with in the regulations as they  
stand save in the paragraph relative to  
rejected and sick emigrants. This states  
that "the employer will be responsible  
for the return to his native district of  
every emigrant who shall have been  
rejected by the Medical officer previous  
to or after registration or after embarca-  
tion, or who being registered may have  
declined to enter into contract." The  
defect here is that there is no possible  
check upon the employer, or more cor-  
rectly "broker." Suppose the man to  
come from a hundred miles in the inter-  
ior. He may be put on board the Canton  
steamer or a fast boat and landed anywhere  
between Hongkong and his native village  
with very considerable chances that he  
will never again turn up to bother the  
"employer." The paragraph should  
direct that rejected emigrants be placed  
in the hands of the Emigration Officer  
with a deposit fee of the necessary sum  
to take him home. Any rejected men  
could thus be easily traced and com-  
plaints would be obviated; for it must be  
borne in mind that there are many who  
never intend to emigrate at all if they  
can help it, but simply "try on" to get  
temporary food and shelter at the emi-  
gration houses. These men are loudest in  
their complaints of unfair dealing, thus  
injuring the character of the Colony and  
of the Emigration Scheme generally.

But whether for the good of the employer  
or the coolie, it would be far better to  
place the arrangements for returning in  
official hands. A supplementary memo-  
randum would easily effect it.  
Having thus referred to the rules as  
they stand, we have to point out a serious  
omission. Not one single line appears  
to obviate the great and damning blot of  
the coolie trade as hitherto conducted.  
We do not doubt that the Emigration  
Office, the Registrar General, or the  
Colonial Surgeon will perform their  
duties honourably, nor do we believe  
that as a rule foreign coolie traders in  
Hongkong will knowingly ship kidnaped  
men. Yet, after all that has been  
said and written on the subject, after  
several legal trials in which the coolie  
system has been prominently brought

forward—after official correspondence  
ad nauseam and reports from Govern-  
ment Emigration Officers extending over  
a series of years, each and all pointing to  
the fact that the employment of native  
coolies was the one great evil, not a  
word is inserted to abolish it! The su-  
pervision of notices for collection of emi-  
grants is all very well, but does not in  
the least touch this vital question. What  
is wanted is that every Chinaman em-  
ployed as collector of coolies be registered  
and provided with a document setting  
forth in the fullest possible manner the  
exact conditions under which the coolies  
may be engaged; specially declaring that  
the coolie is liable only for the actual  
sum he receives from the collector and  
distinctly informing him how he may  
redeem himself from his promise if he  
sees fit. The Chinese authorities should  
then be requested to notify this, publish-  
ing also conspicuously the names of  
licensed brokers or collectors, in every  
town and village in their respective dis-  
tricts. This at least is the only course  
we can see between encouraging kidnapp-  
ing and seduction by partial money  
advances, or the total prohibition of the  
employment of Chinese middlemen alto-  
gether.

These least our friends will credit us  
with disinterestedness in the battle we  
have so long waged against coolie abuses.  
It is exceedingly heartening to find  
that although the question of conducting  
emigration from Hongkong upon a sound  
basis is really attracting official atten-  
tion, nothing is being done to combat its  
chief evil. Until this be effected the  
Hongkong of to-day can fling but few  
stones at the Macao of the past.

Those in Hongkong (and they are many)  
who have friends, relatives, or corre-  
spondents in the Australian Colonies  
will be glad to notice that a book-pest  
has been established between them and  
this colony. Hitherto the difficulty of  
transmitting printed works save as parcels  
has materially interfered with that  
better knowledge of this country which  
Australia desires to acquire, as well as  
with the business transactions of pub-  
lishers who have been precluded from  
sending works for notice or review save  
at much expense and uncertainty. As  
belonging to the body most nearly effec-  
tuated at the new regime, but the  
general public also have reason to be  
pleased at the successful result which has  
attended the efforts of the Colonial  
Postal Department to place such matters  
upon a more satisfactory footing than  
heretofore.

We have good reason to believe that  
several girls shipped by the Californian  
steamer which sailed this afternoon had  
been sold, some willingly and some  
unwillingly, by their guardians to pros-  
titution agents who will recoup their  
investment when they reach San Fran-  
cisco. But we have also satisfied our-  
selves that every female on board ex-  
pressed their willingness to go at noon  
to-day—after which no further native  
passengers were received. In one case,  
any interference broke down by the  
invariable determination of the victim  
to say what she had been told to say,  
and the officials must be acquitted of any  
laxity. But what is to be done? The  
law is powerless. Yet here is the sale  
of girls for shameful purposes by Chinese  
being carried on under our eyes; but so  
long as the victim says she is willing to  
go and a ship is willing to take her,  
interference is prohibited. We shall  
return to the subject.

## LOCAL.

THE Band of the 75th Stirlingshire Regt.,  
will perform at the Public Gardens, on  
Tuesday, the 20th instant, commencing at  
6 P.M. The following is the programme—  
OVERTURE, "Barber of Seville," Rossini.  
QUADRILLE, "Perichole," Coct.  
"ELECTION," "L'Ecclaire," Halary.  
WALTZ, "Juliet," Coct.  
SCENA ED ARIA, "Trovatore," Verdi.  
GALOP, "Roulette," Coct.  
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN, Coct.  
W. J. Collender, Band Master.

THE following is the account, duly cer-  
tified, of the average amount of Bank Notes  
in circulation in Hongkong, during the  
month ending 30th June, 1869:—  
Average Specie in  
amount, reserve.  
Oriental, . . . \$61,697 \$220,666  
Chartered Mercantile, . . . 551,584 200,000  
Chartered, . . . 347,400 120,000  
Hongkong & Shanghai, 1,078,183 1,000,000  
Total, . . . \$2,638,864 \$1,540,666

A Government Notification states that  
Sole Tender will be received at the  
Colonial Secretary's Office until noon on  
the 26th instant, for the supply of 980  
Telegraph Posts. Specifications may be  
seen at the Surveyor General's Office,  
where also a proper form of tender may be  
obtained.

It is hereby notified, by order of His  
Excellency the Governor, for general infor-  
mation that henceforward book and pattern  
packets may be sent through the post by  
the Contract Mail Packets, between Hong-  
kong and the Australian Colonies, at the  
following rates of postage:—Not exceeding  
4 oz., 6 cents; exceeding 4 oz. and not  
exceeding 8 oz., 12 cents; exceeding 8 oz.  
and not exceeding 1 lb., 24 cents; and for  
every additional 8 oz., 12 cents. Propri-  
etary of the postage is compulsory.  
SAML. BARFF, Acting Postmaster General,  
General Post Office, Hongkong, 18th July,  
1869.

We understand that the editor of the  
Independent at Macao was "



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## For Sale.

**FOR SALE.**  
BORDEN'S Condensed Milk (Fresh).  
Apply to  
J. F. ROSE,  
Wellington Street,  
Hongkong, June 25, 1869.

**FOR SALE.**  
AN Invoice of SCHWEPPE'S SODA WATER.  
Apply to  
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.  
Hongkong, June 19, 1869.

**FOR SALE.**  
DAUGHT ALE & PORTER in Hhds.  
Apply to  
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.  
Hongkong, June 1, 1869.

**STEAM COALS.**  
For Sale from Store, or deliverable on Board.  
ENGLISH—London West Hartley, Straker's West Hartley.  
WELSH—Blaengware Marthyr.  
Apply to  
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.  
Hongkong, March 16, 1869.

**FOR SALE.**  
Best Westphalian HAMS.  
Breakfast BACON in tins.  
ANCHOVIES and ANCHOVY PASTE.  
Table JELLIES.  
Dessert RAISINS.  
Dessert FIGS.  
Finest Vanilla, and a lot of other Oilman Stores, just received.  
Also,  
CLARET in hogsheads and cases.  
Apply to  
L. FRICKEL & Co.  
Hongkong, June 21, 1869.

**FOR SALE.**  
Just landed ex M. S. "Imperial".  
CLARETS: Chateau, Latite, Larose, Palmer, also,  
St. George, St. Julien, Margaux, St. Emilion.  
WHITE WINE: Chateau, St. Julien, Chateau, St. Julien.  
MADEIRA, XERES, SHERRY, MUSCAT, MUSCATEL, &c.  
Apply to  
LANDSTEIN & Co.  
Hongkong, May 3, 1869.

**FOR SALE.**  
FEW Superior RIFLES adapted for prize shooting, both breech and muzzle loaders, regulation bore.  
Apply to  
LANDSTEIN & Co.  
Hongkong, May 3, 1869.

**FOR SALE.**  
MANTUA HARD WOOD.  
Consisting of:  
MOLAYES.  
BANABAS.  
ARANGAS.  
And other descriptions.  
Apply to  
LANDSTEIN & Co.  
Hongkong, August 11, 1869.

**FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED.**  
ENGLISH and Anglo German CONCERTINAS, HARMONIUMS, VIOLINS, and VIOLIN STRINGS, FLUTES, New MUSIC, &c.  
Pianos tuned and repaired.  
Apply to  
G. WAGNER,  
Hollywood Road,  
Hongkong, March 1, 1869.

**NOTICE.**  
MR. J. THOMSON begs to intimate that he is now publishing a Series of 40 Views of Hongkong, price \$25—  
10 Views from Plates, 14 by 12  
26 do do do do 10 by 8  
4 Small instantaneous Subjects from the Dragon Procession.  
Hongkong, September 4, 1868.

**FOR SALE.**  
Ex S.S. "PIRE".  
FEW Bags of Mocha COFFEE, @ 47 per bag of 28 lb.  
Apply to  
G. DUBOST & Co.  
Hongkong, August 31, 1868.

**FOR SALE.**  
YELLOW METAL 16 to 28 oz. and Nails.  
Apply to  
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.  
Hongkong, September 16, 1868.

**FOR SALE.**  
BITTER BEER in Hogsheads.  
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.  
Hongkong, May 22, 1869.

**FOR SALE TO ARRIVE.**  
Bales of Fresh Californian OAT HAY.  
Apply to  
RUSSELL & Co.  
Hongkong, June 7, 1869.

**ATAM'S BRANDY in 1 doz. cases.**  
"PORT" 2 " "  
"CLARET" 1 "  
Apply to  
BIRLEY & Co.  
Hongkong, April 9, 1867.

**FOR SALE.**  
MUNTZ'S Yellow METAL 20/28 oz. and Nails.  
Also,  
Vivian's Patent Yellow METAL Keel PLATES, 12lbs. and 13lb. with NAILS.  
Apply to  
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.  
Hongkong, June 14, 1867.

**FOR SALE.**  
YELLOW METAL 18 to 28 oz. Muntz and Vivian.  
Apply to  
JOHN BURD & Co.  
Hongkong, April 6, 1867.

**FOR SALE.**  
THE desirable PROPERTY on Queen's Road, lately occupied by Messrs SMITH KENNEDY & Co.  
For further particulars, apply to  
SMITH, ARCHER & Co.  
Hongkong, September 2, 1867.

To arrive per steamer "Ajia" and For Sale.  
BERNARD'S CENTRIFUGAL PUMP.  
To pump 360,000 gallons per hour with 18 inch Suction and Delivery. Price \$1,250.  
S. SPEECHLY.  
Hongkong, June 8, 1869.

## Houses and Lands.

**TO BE LET.**  
WITH Possession from the 1st October next, the HOUSE AND OFFICE No. 9, Gough Street, at present occupied by Messrs KIRCHNER BOGER & Co.  
Apply to  
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.  
Hongkong, June 30, 1869.

**TO LET.**  
THE HOUSE No. 6, West Terrace, Caine Road, newly painted and coloured throughout.  
Apply to  
THOS. W. BARRINGTON,  
53, Wyndham St.  
Hongkong, June 19, 1869.

**TO LET.**  
HAT commodious Family Residence in Bonham Road, known as "Persopolis," containing 12 Rooms, besides basement story, Bath room, Coach House and Stable, Gas and Water laid on. Also, Croquet ground, Flower and Vegetable garden.  
Apply to  
THOS. W. BARRINGTON,  
53, Wyndham St.  
Hongkong, June 19, 1869.

**TO LET.**  
6 HOUSES in Seymour Terrace No. 2, 6, 8, 10, 11 and 12, each containing 4 ROOMS with outhouses attached. Water and Gas laid.  
Apply to  
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.  
Hongkong, June 2, 1869.

**TO LET.**  
(With immediate possession.)  
SEVERAL Strong New GODOWNS, very conveniently situated on Marine Lot No. 63, between Messrs JOHN BURN & Co.'s premises and Messrs GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.'s Wharf.  
For Particulars, apply to  
A. McLEOD,  
At Messrs Gibb, Livingston & Co.'s  
Hongkong, April 26, 1869.

**TO LET.**  
With Immediate Possession,  
TWO Commodious Two-Storey Granite GODOWNS, at Wanchi, (adjoining the Union Dock Company's Timber Yard) on which property, also, STORAGE can be had at moderate terms.  
For Particulars, apply to  
LANDSTEIN & Co.  
Hongkong, April 26, 1868.

**TO LET.**  
No. 3 Pechili Terrace, with immediate Possession.  
Apply to  
LAKE, CHA WYFORD & Co.  
Hongkong, April 16, 1869.

**TO LET.**  
ONE FLOOR of a house in Queen's Road, well situated.  
Apply to  
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.  
Hongkong, March 23, 1869.

**CLUB CHAMBERS, D'AGUILAR STREET.**  
A FEW Sets of these desirable CHAMBERS are now vacant, and can be had on reasonable terms.  
Apply to  
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.  
Hongkong, February 5, 1869.

**TO LET.**  
WITH immediate possession, the House and Offices, No. 4, Gough Street, lately occupied by Messrs A. WILKINSON & Co.  
Apply to  
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.  
Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

**TO LET.**  
A CONVENIENTLY situated HOUSE in Chancery Lane. Rent moderate.  
Apply to  
ARNHOLD KARBBERG & Co.  
Hongkong, October 5, 1868.

**TWO HOUSES TO BE LET.**  
RECENTLY put in thorough Repair, situated on the Rise of the Hill, Westward, and an easy distance from the Queen's Road. Apply to  
MR. BARRINGTON,  
Wyndham Street.  
Hongkong, May 13, 1868.

**TO LET.**  
THE desirable PREMISES on the Queen's Road, lately in the occupation of the Asiatic Bank.  
For Particulars, apply to  
SMITH, ARCHER & Co.  
Hongkong, May 18, 1868.

**LIGHTFRAGE AND STORAGE.**  
THE Undersigned will undertake to land Cotton, Rice, Coal, and other Merchandise in their own Boats, and to receive the same on STORAGE in First-class Granite godowns, on Moderate Terms.  
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.  
Hongkong, March 4, 1866.

## Intimations.

**H. W. HOHNHOLZ & Co.,**  
SHIP'S COMMODITIES & GENERAL GROCERS,  
No. 33, PRATA & CENTRAL MARKET, HONGKONG.  
Are prepared to supply to Families and Commanders of Vessels all descriptions of Provisions, Groceries, &c., on the most reasonable terms.  
A selected assortment of Oilman's Stores always on hand.  
All orders attended to with promptitude.  
Hongkong, July 6, 1869.

**VICTORY FOUNDRY.**  
Established 1867.  
MCDONALD & Co., ENGINEERS,  
BOILER MAKERS, BRASS AND IRON FOUNDERS, SHIP'S SMITHS, and GENERAL WORKERS.  
Boilers made and repaired; for prices of New Boilers, apply at the Works, Spring Gardens.  
Hongkong, July 1, 1869.

**SAIL MAKING.**  
WILLIAM DOLAN having returned to Hongkong, has resumed his business of SAIL MAKING in all its branches, at his old place in D'Aguiar Street, and solicits the patronage of the Public.  
He has on hand a fine assortment of 8 and 10 ounce RAYEN'S DUCK suitable for Boat Sails or Awnings.  
Hongkong, April 29, 1869.

**THE above Company, having recently erected at Kowloon, FIRST CLASS MACHINERY, are prepared to furnish Tenders for the Manufacture and Repairing of Boilers of any size, and for the making or repairing of Super cranking and Refining Machinery—Shutting, Gearing, and every description of Factory, or Mill work undertaken.  
A New Jetty is in course of completion, alongside of which Vessels drawing 18 feet of water can lay at any state of the tide; attached to the Jetty are Shears capable of lifting Fifty Tons.  
ROB. S. WALKER,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, June 24, 1869.**

**THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA, LIMITED.**  
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**T. E. HAWKINS'S**  
HORSE REPOSITORY,  
AND  
HORSE-SHOING FORGE,  
BUDDH STREET,  
HONGKONG.  
Horses and Ponies carefully broken to a Saddle and Harness.  
Horses, Ponies, Harness, and Carriages, always on hand for sale.

**MORRIS & Co.,**  
AUCTIONEERS,  
NEWS AND COMMISSION AGENTS,  
QUEEN'S ROAD,  
HONGKONG.  
(Late J. B. Morris, News Agent.)

**FRICKEL & Co**  
SHIP-CHANDLERS, SAILMAKERS,  
GENERAL STOREKEEPERS,  
AND  
COMMISSION AGENTS,  
QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG.

**F. A. WHEELER,**  
HAIR CUTTER & HAIR DRESSER,  
26, Queen's Road,  
(Opposite LAKE & CHA WYFORD'S),  
Hongkong, March 19, 1869.

**FESEFELD & Co.,**  
AUCTIONEERS,  
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,  
AND  
GENERAL AGENTS,  
QUEEN'S ROAD,  
HONGKONG.  
(Next Door to "HONGKONG DISPENSARY")  
Hongkong, May 1, 1869.

**GEORGE GLASSE,**  
(FIVE YEARS MANAGER TO) KINGSFORD & Co., PICCADILLY LONDON, AND 28, PLACE VENDOME, PARIS)  
ENGLISH AND FOREIGN CHEMIST  
VICTORIA DISPENSARY,  
HONGKONG.  
SHIPS' MEDICINE CHESTS SUPPLIED & REFILLED.  
Hongkong, May 1, 1867.

**ANDREW MILLAR**  
HOUSE, SHIP, & STEAM-BOAT PLUMBER,  
COPPERSMITH & BRASSFOUNDER  
No. 1, Queen's Road East and Nullah Lane.  
Hongkong, October 28, 1868.

**MR. J. THOMSON** is prepared to take PORTRAITS, VIEWS and other PHOTOGRAPHS—Rooms, Commercial Bank Buildings, Queen's Road, Hongkong, March 11, 1868.

**NOTICE.**  
RENTS and Accounts COLLECTED with punctuality and despatch.  
And,  
Distraint WARRANTS or Rent ISSUED and EXECUTED.  
Security, if required,  
Apply to  
THOS. W. BARRINGTON,  
53, Wyndham Street,  
Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

**E. R. HANDLEY**  
(Late PATTERSON & HANDLEY),  
House and Ship Plumber,  
Copper Smith, Zinc Worker, and Gas Fitter,  
16, Queen's Road West,  
Hongkong, May 24, 1869.

**BROWN JONES & Co.,**  
UNIVERSITY  
MONUMENTS and HEADSTONES  
V. ERECTED, in the Best Style,  
LEAD and METALLIC COFFINS, on the Shortest Notice.  
Apply at  
Hollywood Road, Corner of Aberdeen St.

**DOCKS.**  
THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA, LIMITED.  
THE Company call the attention of Ship Owners, Consignees and Masters of Vessels, to their Establishment at Hongkong and Whampoa, for the DOCKING and REPAIRING of Vessels of all classes.  
At Hongkong the Company have the only Dock in the harbour, a Granite Dock, solidly built, and of dimensions to admit Ships of 350 feet in length, and drawing 22 feet of water.  
Attached to it there are Shipwrights, Blacksmiths, Boiler-makers and Machinery works, and everything necessary for the Repairs of Sailing Vessels or Steamers.  
The Company have also opened a Ship-yard by the side of the Hongkong Dock, and are ready to contract for the construction of Steamers or Sailing Vessels of any size.  
At Whampoa the Company will take Ships at reduced rates.  
The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN" can be engaged to tow Vessels to sea, or berth them, at reasonable rates.  
For Particulars, apply to  
ROB. S. WALKER,  
Secretary,  
Company's Office, Queen's Road, Corner of Ice House Lane.  
Hongkong, April 8, 1869.

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Hongkong, June 24, 1869.**

## Insurances.

**LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
(FIRE AND LIFE.)  
CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.  
THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Coals in Matchboxes, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions. Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision.  
If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single Life.  
See Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information apply to  
ARNHOLD KARBBERG & Co.,  
Agents Hongkong & Canton,  
Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

**OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
LONDON.  
Incorporated 1869.  
CAPITAL—£1,000,000.  
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept Marine risks and issue Policies at current rates.  
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.  
Hongkong, June 6, 1867.

**LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine Risks at current rates.  
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.  
Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

**ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.**  
ESTABLISHED 1836.  
CAPITAL, £500,000.  
Managing Agents in China, — Messrs. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Hongkong, Medical Referee, — J. T. MORRIS, Esq., M.D.

**THE Undersigned having been appointed Managing Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept risks and issue Policies on Life Assurances.**  
For further particulars, forms of proposals, &c., apply to  
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,  
Managing Agents in China,  
Hongkong, June, 1867.

**PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
LIVERPOOL, AND LONDON & GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANIES.  
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Companies at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein.  
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.  
Hongkong, September 28, 1868.

**IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$50,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein.  
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,  
Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company,  
Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

**NOTICE.**  
FROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:—  
Not exceeding 1 month, 1/2 of the annual rate.  
Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, 1/2 do.  
Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 months, 1/2 do.  
Above 6 months, the full annual rate.  
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,  
Agents,  
Hongkong, April 8, 1868.

**ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.**  
NOTICE.  
FROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:—  
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## HONGKONG.

Consignees of Vessels will greatly oblige by forwarding corrections of errors in the following list.

## Exclusive of Arrivals, Departures and Clearances reported to-day.

C. on Pedder's Wharf.—W.C., from Pedder's Wharf to Gibb's Wharf.—W., Westward of Gibb's Wharf.—E.C., on Pedder's Wharf to the Military Hospital.—E., Eastward of the Hospital.—K., on Kowloon side.

Vessel's Name and Where Anchored.	Captain.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Intended Despatch.
<b>STEAMERS</b>							
Arratoon Apoor.	W.C. Gardner	Brit. str.	938	July 1868-69.			
Azof	W.C. Johnson	Brit. str.	700	July	7 Gibb, Livingston & Co	Calcutta, &c.	20th, noon
Catalina	W. Escadillo	Span. str.	737	April	6 P. & O. S. N. Co	Swatow &c.	
China	W. Waisaw	Amer. str.	3883	July	8 Landstein & Co		
Chin Alpine	E. Hutchison	Brit. str.	946	July	6 P. M. S. S. Co		
Dupleix	W.C. Rapatel	Feh. str.	900	July	7 Jardine, Matheson & Co	Y. Hama & S.F. Co	To-day 3 p.m.
Kwang Tung	W.C. Pitman	Brit. str.	495	July	16 Messageries Impériales	Calcutta, &c.	20th, noon
Nantius	W.C. Hodges	Amer. str.	1633	June	10 Douglas Lapraik & Co	Yokohama	To-day
Shikishu	W.C. Aitken	Russ. str.	624	July	21 Russell & Co	East Coast	
T. A. Gibb	W. Montgomery	Brit. str.	850	July	1 Landstein & Co	N. Saki & Higo	
Titana	W.	Brit. str.	806	January	11 Gibb, Livingston & Co		
Travancore	W. Crowl	Brit. str.	1185	July	21 Augustus Heard & Co		
Yampa	W. Crowl	Brit. str.	671	July	13 P. & O. S. N. Co	Bombay, &c.	22d, 9 a.m.
Yung-hai-an	K.	Russ. str.	447	October 19	17 Augustus Heard & Co	Shanghai	
					Landstein & Co		

## SAILING VESSELS

Adler	W. Schmidt	N. Ger. sh.	887	July	8 Siemens & Co		
Alveca	W. Yzaviera	Span. sh.	501	July	14 Remedios & Co		
Aparade	K. Davidson	N. Ger. bk.	342	July	10 Wm. Pustau & Co		
Argonaut	W. Baker	Brit. sh.	630	July	4 P. M. S. S. Co		
Aurora	W. Flettner	Siam. bk.	286	June	27 Chinese		
Bella Rose	W. McDonald	Brit. sh.	185	July	12 Douglas Lapraik & Co		
Bengalroos	W. Eldred	Amer. bk.	524	July	12 Smith, Archer & Co		
Bine Jacket	W. Lusby	Brit. bk.	266	July	16 John Bird & Co		
Brilliant	W. Schroder	Siam. bk.	339	July	11 Chinese		
Burlington	W. Sachse	Brit. bk.	485	July	12 Chinese		
Candelaria	W. Lara	Span. bk.	467	June	7 Remedios & Co		
Carl Ludwig	K. Carlsson	Dan. bk.	333	July	5 R. S. Walker & Co		
Carmarthenshire	W. Davis	Brit. sh.	611	July	4 Gibb, Livingston & Co		
Cecilia	E. McClellan	Brit. sh.	611	July	13 Jardine, Matheson & Co		
Chow Sze	W. Wever	Siam. sh.	462	July	13 Chinese		
Constance	K. Schroot	Dut. bk.	350	May	25 Russell & Co		
Constantia	W. Abano	Span. bk.	184	January	30 Remedios & Co	Sydney	Immediate
Cornelia Hendrika	W. Van Duim	Dut. bk.	582	July	17 Bonriau, Hubener & Co		
Dano	K. Decourt	Feh. bk.	586	July	10 Landstein & Co		
Denmark	W. Prowse	Siam. bk.	329	July	12 Chinese		
Edward P. Bouvier	W. Tilly	Brit. sh.	997	July	11 Jardine, Matheson & Co	San Francisco	Immediate
Elcano	E. Brown	Amer. sh.	1312	June	7 Russell & Co	Amoor	To-day
Fidelitas	W. Jaspersen	N. Ger. bk.	313	July	6 E. Schellhaus & Co		
Flying Fish	W. Deubresen	Siam. bk.	206	July	11 Chinese		
Frederic	W. Noisse	Belg. sh.	803	January	6 Borneo Company		
Friendship	W. Klindt	Siam. bk.	480	July	11 Chinese		
Game Cook	E. Sherburne	Amer. sh.	1119	July	7 Olyphant & Co	New York	
Gatahead	W. Lamb	Brit. bk.	505	June	14 A. G. Hogg & Co	Yokohama	
George Avery	W. Chisley	Brit. bk.	467	July	5 E. Schellhaus & Co		
Georg Becker	K. Reiblich	N. Ger. bk.	266	June	23 Siemens & Co		
Gouverneur Nagtglas	K. Mellena	Dut. sh.	212	July	5 Wm. Pustau & Co	Shanghai	
Hermann Doctor	K. Grave	N. Ger. sh.	589	June	11 Siemens & Co		
Hilda	W. Diederichs	Swed. bk.	400	July	10 Bourjau, Hubener & Co	Saigon	
Honohin	K. Hildebrand	N. Ger. sh.	275	June	27 Melchers & Co		
Hugo and Otto	W. Rieker	N. Ger. bk.	250	July	11 Siemens & Co		
J. F. Erickson	W. Lohmann	Dan. sh.	191	July	12 Order		
Labuan	W. Simonsen	Brit. bk.	286	June	28 Chinese	Tamsui	Early
Landwursten	W. Baker	N. Ger. bk.	280	July	5 Melchers & Co		
Marquis of Argyle	K. McKee	Brit. sh.	515	July	4 Rosario & Co	Melb. & Sydney	
Mysore	W. Bosc	Feh. bk.	443	July	11 Frederic Degenner		
Nightingale	W. Sparrow	Amer. sh.	722	July	6 Augustus Heard & Co	New York	
Niva	W. Seurat	Russ. sh.	93	May	9 Augustus Heard & Co		
North Star	W. Jeffers	Brit. sh.	818	July	6 Augustus Heard & Co	San Francisco	
Ocean	W. Anderson	Brit. bk.	552	July	4 Thomas Howard		
Omar Pacha	W. Hopper	Brit. bk.	392	July	15 Chinese		
Paragon	W. Wichers	Siam. sh.	735	July	11 Chinese		
Princess	W. Rankie	N. Ger. bk.	744	June	20 Melchers & Co		
Princess Saraphi	W. Beckmann	Siam. bk.	454	June	30 Chinese		
Prosperity	W. Salje	Siam. sh.	604	June	14 Chinese		
Red Riding Hood	W. Henderson	Brit. sh.	720	July	3 Jardine, Matheson & Co		
Robert Fletcher	E. Puttendrich	Brit. bk.	526	July	2 Messageries Impériales		
Rodrigo	W. Perello	Span. bk.	187	July	14 Remedios & Co		
Robila	W. Dougal	Brit. sh.	1000	July	11 Gibb, Livingston & Co		
Rome	W. Mosses	Amer. bk.	704	July	9 Captain		
San Lorenzo	W. Ledesma	Span. bk.	203	June	22 Remedios & Co	Manila	Early
Sarah March	W. Morton	Brit. sh.	524	June	21 Augustus Heard & Co	San Francisco	
Saudary	K. Bertho	Feh. bk.	485	July	3 Chinese		
Sia Flower	E. Thomas	Brit. sh.	1075	June	20 Borneo Company		
Seamew	K. Sarsen	Brit. bk.	466	July	6 Thomas Howard		
Sebastian Back	W. Sarsen	N. Ger. bk.	823	July	10 Melchers & Co		
Senator	W. Thule	Siam. bk.	382	June	12 Chinese		
Shooting Star	W. Thompson	Siam. sh.	592	June	25 Chinese		
Sumatra	E. Mullin	Amer. sh.	1000	July	6 Russell & Co		
Tay Watt	W. Sarf	Siam. bk.	654	June	28 Chinese		
Thetis	K. Veltmanus	N. Ger. bk.	241	June	10 Wm. Pustau & Co	Tientsin	
Thorild	W. Anderson	N. Ger. bk.	164	June	28 Arnold, Karberg & Co	Foochow	
Vanguard	E. Hunter	Brit. bk.	658	July	2 Jardine, Matheson & Co		
Villa de Rivadavia	W. Castillo	Span. bk.	261	July	9 Remedios & Co		
Young Greek	W. Boimroth	Brit. bk.	424	July	1 Yuan Fat Hong		

## WHAMPOA.

Vessel's Name.	Captain.	Flag & Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Intended Despatch.
Asiatic	Andrew	Brit. sh.	1150	June	23 Borneo Company		
Belled Will	Locke	Brit. sh.	812	May	30 Douglas Lapraik & Co	London	Immediate
Canton	Katt	N. Ger. bk.	234	July	11 Siemens & Co	Ningpo	
Collina	Buhrfeind	N. Ger. bk.	225	July	7 Wm. Pustau & Co	Tientsin	
Deerhound	Carlin	Brit. sh.	873	June	24 Jardine, Matheson & Co	London	Immediate
Douglas Castle	McRitchie	Brit. sh.	679	June	10 Gilman & Co	London	
Dunmail	Thompson	Brit. sh.	771	July	14 Gilman & Co		
Enrique	Orenti	Amer. bk.	490	July	11 Olyphant & Co	New York	Early
Falke	Gottche	N. Ger. bk.	280	July	2 Wm. Pustau & Co	Europe	
Governer Higginson	Mathews	Brit. str.	410	July	16 Wm. Pustau & Co		
Labourdons	Rapatel	Feh. str.	910	July	14 Messageries Impériales		
Landrost Braun	Harten	N. Ger. bk.	219	July	7 Bourjau, Hubener & Co	Tientsin	
Laughing Wave	Shaw	Brit. bk.	161	July	13 Siemens & Co		
Lorelei	Fengermann	N. Ger. bk.	303	July	7 Bourjau, Hubener & Co		
Maitland	Conlon	Brit. sh.	798	July	3 Jardine, Matheson & Co	London	Early
Parajero	King	Brit. bk.	469	July	11 R. S. Walker & Co		
Peter Rickmers	Mayer	N. Ger. bk.	600	July	8 Melchers & Co	New York	Early
Seawell	Thompson	Brit. sh.	825	July	18 Brierley & Co	London	
Unkel Brasse	Schiedner	N. Ger. bk.	273	June	27 Melchers & Co	Europe	
Yesso	Ashton	Brit. str.	580	June	14 Douglas Lapraik & Co		

\* At Canton.

## VESSELS ON THE BERTH.

Destination.	Vessel's Name.	Flag & Rig.	Consignees.
<b>CHINA &amp; JAPAN PORTS.</b>			
FOOCHOW	Thorild	N. Ger. bk.	Arnold, Karberg & Co
SHANGHAI	Canton	N. Ger. bk.	Siemens & Co
TIENTSIN	G. Nagtglas	Dut. sh.	Wm. Pustau & Co
Do.	Odenne	Dan. sh.	John Bird & Co
Do.	Thetis	N. Ger. bk.	Wm. Pustau & Co
Do.	Collina	N. Ger. bk.	Wm. Pustau & Co
Do.	Land. Brann	N. Ger. bk.	Bourjau, Hubener & Co
YOKOHAMA	Gatahead	Brit. bk.	A. G. Hogg & Co
NAGASAKI & HIGO	Nautilus	Amer. str.	Russell & Co
<b>OTHER PORTS.</b>			
YOKOHAMA & S. F. CISCO	China	Amer. str.	P. M. S. S. Co
LONDON	Belled Will	Brit. sh.	Douglas Lapraik & Co
Do.	D. Castle	Brit. sh.	Gilman & Co
Do.	Deerhound	Brit. bk.	Jardine, Matheson & Co
Do.	Maidland	Brit. sh.	Jardine, Matheson & Co
Do.	Seawell	Brit. sh.	Birley & Co
EUROPE	Falke	N. Ger. bk.	Wm. Pustau & Co
Do.	Unkel Brasse	N. Ger. bk.	Melchers & Co
NEW YORK	P. Rickmers	N. Ger. bk.	Melchers & Co
Do.	Enrique	Amer. bk.	Olyphant & Co
Do.	Game Cook	Amer. sh.	Olyphant & Co
Do.	Nightingale	Amer. sh.	Augustus Heard & Co
SAN FRANCISCO	Elcano	Amer. sh.	Russell & Co
Do.	Sarah March	Brit. sh.	A. Hearl & Co
Do.	North Star	Brit. sh.	A. Hearl & Co
MELBOURNE & SYDNEY	M. of Argyle	Brit. sh.	Rozario & Co
SYDNEY	Constance	Dut. bk.	Russell & Co
SAIGON	H. Doctor	N. Ger. sh.	Siemens & Co
MANILA	San Lorenzo	Span. bk.	Remedios & Co
CALCUTTA, &c.	A. Apoor	Brit. str.	Gibb, Livingston & Co
Do.	Chin Alpine	Brit. str.	Jardine, Matheson & Co

\* At Whampoa.

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## MEN-OF-WAR IN HONGKONG HARBOUR.

Name.	Flag.	Rig.	Tons.	H. P.	Commander.
Bouguer	British	gun boat	230	3	60 Rodney Lloyd, Lieut. Comr.
Bustard	British	gun boat	232	3	60 C. F. W. Johnson
Flamer	British	Naval hospital	230		Attached to Melville
Janus	British	gun boat	230		40 In ordinary.
Mecanee	British	Military h'pital	2591		Hospital ship
Melville	British	Naval hospital			R. Pottinger, Dep. Insp. G.I.
Princess Charlotte	British	receiving ship	2448	14	Oliver J. Jones, Commodore
Starling	British	gun boat	234	3	60—Crowdy, Lieut. Comr.
Unadilla	U. States	gun boat	500	5	A. R. Yates
Weasel	British	gun boat	236	3	60 W. H. Richards, Lt. Comr.

## CHINESE GUN-VESSELS IN CANTON WATERS.

Name.	Flag.	Rig.	Tons.	H. P.	Commander.
An-Jan	Chinese	gun vessel	221	7	Godsill (cruising in Gulf of Tonquin)
Ching-tang	Chinese	gun vessel	221	7	Edwards
Chin-hai	Chinese	gun boat	4		Bessard
Fai-long	Chinese	gun boat	6		Deine
Spy	Chinese	gun boat	6		Francis
Sui-tang	Chinese	gun boat	180	6	Pointer
Tien-pu	Chinese	gun boat	180	6	Stewart (cruising in Gulf of de Longueville [Tonquin])

## HONGKONG, MACAO AND CANTON.

## RIVER STEAMERS.

Vessel.	Flag.	Tons.	Captain.	Owners or Agents.
Dragon	British			P. & O. S. N. Co
Faune, (110 h.power)	Do.	117	Stephenson	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Fire Dart	Do.	380		H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Kin Shan	Do.	456	Cary	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Kin Kiang	Do.	617	Thebaud	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Little Orphan	Do.	46	Benning	Union Dock Company's Tug
Poyang	Do.	379		H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Prince Albert	Do.	180		H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Sir J. Jeejeebhoy	Do.	101		H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Spark	Amer.	140	Wilson	Q. Ashcroft
Spee	Do.		Graves	Thomas Hunt & Co
White Cloud	British	280	Carrol	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug

## RECEIVING SHIPS &amp; HULKS.

Name.	Flag.	Rig.	Tons.	Captain.	Owners.
Chase	P. M.	ship	283	Mason	Harbour Master (Gunpowder)
Fort William	British	ship	1000	Purchase	P. & O. S. N. Co
John Adam	British	barque	318	Dennis Daly	Water Police
Kim Joo Hong	"	"	288		

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